

Committee on Environment and Public Works: July 29, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of John R. Fernandez, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development, 10 a.m., SD-406.

July 30, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine climate change and national security, 10 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Foreign Relations: July 28, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Michael H. Posner, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary for Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, Mark Henry Gitenstein, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to Romania, Ertharin Cousin, of Illinois, for the rank of Ambassador during her tenure of service as a Representative to the United Nations Agencies for Food and Agriculture, David Killion, of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the Permanent Representative to the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, Karen Kornbluh, of New York, to be Representative to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, with the rank of Ambassador, and Glyn T. Davies, of the District of Columbia, to be Representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency, with the rank of Ambassador, all of the Department of State, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

July 28, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Philip D. Murphy, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany, 10 a.m., SD-419.

July 28, Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business; to be immediately followed by a hearing to examine the nominations of William Carlton Eacho, III, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Austria, Matthew Winthrop Barzun, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador to Sweden, Bruce J. Oreck, of Colorado, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Finland, James B. Foley, of New York, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Croatia, Philip D. Murphy, of New Jersey, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany, Judith Gail Garber, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Latvia, and Douglas W. Kmiec, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Malta, all of the Department of State, in SD-419, 2:15 p.m., S-116, Capitol.

July 29, Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South and Central Asian Affairs, to hold hearings to examine Pakistan's internally displaced persons (IDP) crisis, 10 a.m., SD-419.

July 30, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine a comprehensive strategy for Sudan, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: July 28, to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Alexander G. Garza, of Missouri, to be Assistant Secretary for Health Affairs and Chief Medical Officer, Department of Homeland Security, 10 a.m., SD-342.

July 29, Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-342.

July 29, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Rafael Borrás, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Homeland Security for Management, Ernest W. Dubester, of Virginia, to be a Member, and Julia Akins Clark, of Maryland, to be General Counsel,

both of the Federal Labor Relations Authority, 3 p.m., SD-342.

Committee on Indian Affairs: July 30, to hold hearings to examine the increase of gang activity in Indian country, 2:15 p.m., SD-628.

Committee on the Judiciary: July 28, business meeting to consider the nominations of Sonia Sotomayor, of New York, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, A. Thomas McLellan, of Pennsylvania, to be Deputy Director of National Drug Control Policy, Alejandro N. Mayorkas, of California, to be Director of the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, and Christopher H. Schroeder, of North Carolina, to be an Assistant Attorney General, and Cranston J. Mitchell, of Virginia, to be a Commissioner of the United States Parole Commission, both of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SH-216.

July 28, Subcommittee on Terrorism and Homeland Security, to hold hearings to examine closing Guantanamo Bay, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

July 29, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine certain nominations, 10 a.m., SD-226.

July 30, Subcommittee on the Constitution, business meeting to consider S. J.Res. 7, proposing an amendment to the Constitution relative to the election of Senators, 2 p.m., SD-226.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: July 29, to hold hearings to examine veteran's disability compensation, 9:30 a.m., SR-418.

Select Committee on Intelligence: July 28, to hold closed hearings to consider certain intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., S-407, Capitol.

Special Committee on Aging: July 29, to hold hearings to examine medical research and education, 2 p.m., SD-562.

House Committees

Committee on Agriculture, July 28, Subcommittee Livestock, Dairy and Poultry, to continue hearings to review economic conditions facing the dairy industry, part three, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

July 30, Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, Energy, and Research, hearing to review PL 83-566 watershed proposals for the Dunloup Creek Watershed and the Cape Cod Water Resources Restoration Project, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations July 28, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies, hearing on Protecting the Public Health in a Global Economy Ensuring that Meat and Poultry Imports Meet U.S. Standards, 11 a.m., 2362-A Rayburn.

Committee on Armed Services, July 28, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Investing in Our Military Leaders: The Role of Professional Military Education in Officer Development, 1 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

July 28, Subcommittee on Terrorism, Unconventional Threats and Capabilities, hearing on chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, and high-yield explosives consequence management, 10 a.m., 2212 Rayburn.